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Application of Robert L. Popp, et al.
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Examiner Karin M. Reichle

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated July 28, 2004, rejecting the following claims: 3 and 19-24.

The appeal fee of \$330.00 is submitted herewith.

The fee for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is also enclosed.

If there are any additional charges in this matter, please charge our Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

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